From: <u>Vela, Austin</u>

To: Smith, Monica; Goodfellow, Bob

**Subject:** FW: Can you check with the OSCs and make sure this is still accurate?

**Date:** Monday, April 22, 2013 2:28:59 PM

From: Assunto, Carmen

Sent: Monday, April 22, 2013 2:25 PM

**To:** Vela, Austin

Subject: RE: Can you check with the OSCs and make sure this is still accurate?

They would like bob goodfellow and Monica smith to approve this. Can you forward to them? (epa). Thanks.

From: Vela, Austin

Sent: Monday, April 22, 2013 1:33 PM

**To:** Assunto, Carmen

Subject: Can you check with the OSCs and make sure this is still accurate?

Clean Air Act (CAA) 112r requires a facility to address catastrophic accidental air releases of chemicals in its Risk Management Plan. Ammonium nitrate, a solid, is not currently a chemical material addressed by this provision of the CAA. We do not yet know what happened at this facility. The ongoing investigation will inform us on the plan's adequacy. In addition, the investigation will review if there are any violations. Based on the results of this investigation, EPA may review if changes are required.

From: Donna Ressl [mailto:Donna.Ressl@FOXTV.COM]

Sent: Monday, April 22, 2013 10:38 AM

To: Vela, Austin Cc: Donna Ressl Subject: West Fertilizer

Austin,

Can you tell me the following? If EPA knew the amount of ammonia nitrate in the facility in West, would your agency pass this info on to the appropriate agency, which from what I understand is the Department of Homeland Security. How does this process work?

Thanks, Donna Ressl KDFW Fox 4 214-720-3361